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Applicant: FREILICH ET AL.)
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Filed: May 13, 1999) Examiner: Lucchesi, N.
For: IMPLANT SYSTEM)

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on October 3, 2000, Applicants elect for further prosecution in the instant application, Invention I, claims 1-32, 43-48, drawn to an implant system, classified in class 433, subclass 173.

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The election will not prejudice Applicants' right to file a divisional application directed to the non-elected subject matter of the instant application.

The Patent and Trademark Office is further requested to draw all further fees properly chargeable in this case from Deposit Account No. 50-0718. The Office, moreover, is urged to telephone undersigned counsel at the number noted below if it will advance the prosecution of this case.

Respectfully submitted,



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